# ANNUAL EGG LOSS IS \$200,000,000

Great Waste Between Producer and Consumer Shown by Department.

Bewteen the hen and the consume there is a waste of \$200,000,000 annually. as egg specialists of the Department Agriculture put it, "a \$50,000,000 cramble, and \$150,000,000 useless conribution to musty pudding and the imp scow, crematory, and garbage

Of this waste, \$50,000,000 is held to be due to needless preakage of eggs in ransit from the nest to the retailer. The balance, \$150,000,000, represents unnecessary addling, spoiling, and deterioration of good eggs, due to had han-

The egg as the hen lays it is inveriably a good egg," a Department of Agriculture report on the egg industry mys, "but one out of every ten eggs which she lays is broken in shipment, and three out of the remaining nine are spoiled in transit by bad handling. This means that only six out of every ten eggs reach the producer in anything like the shape that nature intended.

Forty per cent of our eggs are fit "Forty per cent of our eggs are fit only for strong palates or for use in tanning leather, or else go to the crematory and dump heap bills of our great cities—the unpleasant monuments to needless American waste of good food in the face of lowered food production. the face of lowered food production

nd increased population."
The department is sending its egg and poultry demonstration car through the forn belt, and showing egg shippers all the little improvements in egg grading, andling, and packing. The farmers are being taught to keep their eggs in cool places, and covered on the way to town. The egg-shipping men in the country towns are being urged to chill their eggs at once, and keep them chilled until transferred to refrigerator cars.

"When farmer and country merchant When farmer and country merchant and refrigerator car operator get eggs fresh and keep them cold until they reach the refrigerator men," egg spe-cialists of the department declare in their report on the egg industry, "these eggs can be stored and kept edible for

trying to teach the farmers how raise more eggs and bigger eggs, and how to raise and feed pullets so they will lay later in the fall, and by seeking to improve methods of marketing the

A great reduction in the present loss in marketing eggs is promised by the department through its campaign of

#### Col. Reeves to Speak At Suffrage Meeting

Col. Charles R. Reeves, of Reno, Nev. first past vice president of the Woman's Suffrage Association of that State. and the only man who has held office in a suffrage organization, will be the prin-cipal speaker at the meeting to be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the Congressional Union headquarters, 1430 F street northwest. Miss Alice Paul, chairman of the union, will also speak. Mrs John J. White, chairman of the sommittee which will have charge of he division in the parade of May 9 to devoted to women of the department ances from proprietors of several of the largest stores that these institutions will be closed on that day to afford oppor-tunity to the clerks to join the parade.

#### Educators of the Blind To Convene Here Soon

Delegates from all parts of the country representing commissions, schools and institutions for the training and development of the blind will come to Washington for a three-day convention, beginning April 16. Headquarters will be at the New Ebbitt.

Arrangements have been made for a arrangements have been made for a reception at the White House. The convention will be addressed by many speakers whose work in helping the blind has become known over the world. Charles F. F. Campbell, executive secretary for the Ohio State commission for the blind, Edward M. Van Cieve, superintendent of the Ohio State School for the Elind and Eben P. Morford, of Brooklyn, president of the American Association of Workers for the Elind. Association of Workers for the Blind, will be among the speakers.

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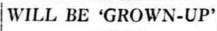
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MISS RUTH P. HALL, the production of the "Racketty Packetty House," the children's play to be produced at the Belasco for the benefit of the House of Play.

Senator Would Limit Alien Importation to One-Tenth Number Here in 1910.

Dillingham, of Vermont chairman of the immigration commis sion, proposes to admit into this country in a year, only 10 per cent of the total number of people of any country

Senator Dillingham spoke before the members of the University Club last The department is tackling the egg night in defense of the proposed literacy problem in two practical ways—first, by test for aliens, declaring that it was test for aliens, declaring that it was the best method feasible to exclude undesirable aliens. The contrast between the old and new immigration into this

country was pointed out.

The report of the commission declared the speaker, is designed to favor the exclusion in some manner, of aliens the exclusion in some manner, of aliens who do not intend to make this country their home, and who are least readily assimilated into our population.

"When you study the statistics thoroughly you will, I think, decide that this country is not unduly alarmed over the immigration question. It is a most serious matter, it is strongly in need of corrective legislation, and it should make us all pretty thoughtful" said make us all pretty thoughtful," said

the Senator.

W. W. Husband, a member of the immigration commission, delivered an illustrated lecture on Russia. Mr. Husband paid particular attention to the immigration question.

Schoolmen Elect Hall.

Percival Hall tomorrow will begin us duties as president of the Federal Schoolmen's Club, following an election neld at the annual banquet at the held at the annual banquet at the Continental Hotel last night. Paul Bartsch, of George Washington, was elected vice president; Allen B. Fay, secretary and C. J. Schwartz, treasterer. The board of governors consists of A. W. Spanhoofd, George M. Hemming, Thomas J. Jones, W. W. Bishop, and E. G. Kirsball. Bishop, and E. G. Kimball.

Officers to Go Abroad.

Seven army officers will sail for France in July to study French military methods. Capt. John W. Barker will be detailed to a French regiment of infantry: Capt. A. M. Miller, cavalry: First Lieut. F. W. Honycutt and Second Lieut. Edwin St. John Greble, field artillery; Major Morton J. Henry, to the school of intendance; First Lieut. John G. Quekemeyer, to the Seumer Riding Academy; Capt. Frank Parker, to the French War College.

# GIVE MILK GRATIS

Admission of Product Duty Free From Canada Causes Crisis in New England.

BOSTON, April 5.-The smashing of milk prices by the admission of free from Canada has precipitated a crisis among New England producers, whose contracts with the wholesalers expired April 1. Definite announcement was made today that more than 2,000 quarts of fresh milk will be given away Monday directly in front of the State House, to anyone wno wants to call

Each following day a larger amount will be given away by the farmers Who will play a "grown-up's part" in and producers, who intend to cut down the local sales, by giving the milk away, rather than sell it at 2 and away, rather than sell if at 2 and 2 cents a quart to the contractors. The farmers are being led by State Senator Charles M. Cox, of Melrose, and twenty producers are to donate the 2,000 quarts to be given away on opening day to any man, woman or child who appears on the scene with a recentacle.

child who appears on the scene with a receptacle.
Yesterday's milking was fed to the ligs in North Reading and Middleton, and nearly 300 quarts left over was used to sprinkle the main streets with, in a demonstration neaded by the farmers, who claim that New England is at present held helpless in the grip of a trust of milk dealers, who, in secret meeting, established both a maximum purchasing price and a minimum price to the consumer.

A petition is to be sent to Washington asking that an investigation be made by the Federal authorities into New England conditions.

#### Suffrage Editress Will Attack Immigration Bill

A meeting of protest against the Burnett immigration bill will be held at the Public Library next Wednesday evening, and Rheta Childs Dorr, editor of the Suffragist, the official organ of the Congressional Union, will be the principal speaker.

Besides attacking the provision for the exclusion of English militants Mrs. Dorr, who is an intimate friend of Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, will give an ac-count of the origin of militancy in England and its result. The meeting will be under the auspices of the Study Club in Economics.

### Ordered to Alaska.

Capt. Albert G. Love, who has been on duty at the War Department as an assistant to the Surgeon General, has been ordered to Fort Gibbon, Alaska.

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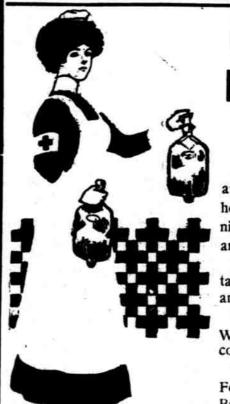


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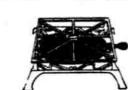
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